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18. (Amended) The process as set forth in claim 15, in which said step a) includes the sub-steps of

- a-1) patterning a first material layer into said black matrix,
- a-2) patterning a second material layer into said color filter layers in such a manner that said black matrix is spaced from said color filter layers,
- a-3) patterning a third material layer into said piece of material filling the gap between said black matrix and said color filter layers, and
- a-4) coating said black matrix, said color filter layers and said piece of material with an overcoat layer.
- 19. (Amended) The process as set forth in claim 15, in which said step a) includes the sub-steps of
  - a-1) pattering a first material layer into said black matrix having openings,
- a-2) forming said piece of material in such a manner as to partially on peripheral regions of said black matrix and partially in peripheral zones of said openings,
- a-3) forming a second material layer into said color filter layers in such a manner as to have peripheral portions on the portions of said piece of material in said peripheral zones, and
- a-4) covering said black matrix, said color filter layers and said piece of material with an overcoat layer.

## REMARKS

The claims have been amended to correct an obvious numbering error and to correct two obvious spelling errors in new claims 18 and 19. No new matter is believed entered by any of the foregoing amendments.

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